

## Statement of Deficiencies

### 1509-A.4: Disclosure of Information Policy

Not Met

1509-A.4: Disclosure of Information Policy that provides notice to parents of the licensing authority of the Licensing Division and the availability of licensing Surveys/inspections, regulations and information regarding early learning centers from the Department of Education's website.

#### Finding:

1509-A.4 Based on record review: The Provider did not have a Policy/Procedure to provide notice to parents of the licensing authority of the Licensing Division and the availability of licensing surveys/inspections, regulations and information regarding early learning centers from the Department of Education's website. Provider corrected during interview.

### 1509-A.9: Electronic Devices Policy

Not Met

1509-A.9: Electronic Devices Policy that provides that all activities involving electronic devices, including but not limited to television, movies, games, videos, computers and hand held electronic devices, shall adhere to the following limitations:

- a. Electronic device activities for children under age two are prohibited; and
- b. Time allowed for electronic device activities for children ages 2 and above shall not exceed 2 hours per day.

#### Finding:

1509-A.9 Based on record review: The Provider did not have a written Electronic Devices Policy that provides that all activities involving electronic devices, including but not limited to television, movies, games, videos, computers and hand held electronic devices, are prohibited for children under are two and time allowed for electronic device activities for children ages two and above shall not exceed 2 hours per day.

### 1509-A.10: Computer Practices Policy

Not Met

1509-A.10: Computer Practices Policy that requires computers that allow internet access by children to be equipped with monitoring or filtering software that limits access by children to inappropriate web sites, e-mail, and instant messaging.

#### Finding:

1509-A.10 Based on record review: The Provider did not have a written Computer Practices Policy that requires computers that allow internet access by children to be equipped with monitoring or filtering software that limits access by children to inappropriate web sites, e-mail, and instant messaging.

### 1509-A.11: Programs, Movies and Video Games Policy

Not Met

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- a. Programs, movies, and video games with violent or adult content, including but not limited to soap operas, television news, and sports programs aimed at audiences other than children, shall not be permitted in the presence of children.
- b. All television, video, DVD, or other programming shall be suitable for the youngest child present.
- c. "PG" programming or its television equivalent shall not be shown to children under age 5.
- d. "PG" programming shall only be viewed by children age 5 and above and shall require written parental authorization.
- e. Any programming with a rating more restrictive than "PG" is prohibited.
- f. All video games shall be suitable for the youngest child with access to the games.
  - i. "E10+" rated games shall be permitted for children ages 10 years and older.
  - ii. "T" and "M" rated games are prohibited.

#### Finding:

1509-A.11 Based on record review: The Provider did not have a Programs, Movies and Video Games Policy requiring: Programs, movies, and video games with violent or adult content, including but not limited to soap operas, television news, and sports programs aimed at audiences other than children, shall not be permitted in the presence of children. All television, video, DVD, or other programming shall be suitable for the youngest child present. PG programming or its television equivalent shall not be shown to children under age 5. PG programming shall only be viewed by children age 5 and above and shall require written parental authorization. Any programming with a rating more restrictive than PG is prohibited. All video games shall be suitable for the youngest child with access to the games. E10+ rated games shall be permitted for children ages 10 years and older. T and M rated games are prohibited.

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### 1703.B: Visitors - CBC/Accompanied

Not Met

1703.B: An early learning center shall obtain documentation of a satisfactory fingerprint based CBC for each visitor or independent contractor of any kind, prior to the person being present at the center or performing services for the center UNLESS the visitor or independent contractor WILL BE accompanied at all times while on the center premises by an adult, paid, staff member who is not being counted in child to staff ratios, and the center shall have copies of said documentation on-site at all times and available for inspection upon request by the Licensing Division.

1. Documentation of the paid, adult staff member not otherwise counted in child to staff ratios who accompanied a visitor or independent contractor at all times while the visitor or contractor was on the center premises shall include the date, arrival and departure time of the visitor or contractor, language stating that the visit or contractor was accompanied by the staff member at all times while on the premises, and the signature of both the contractor and the accompanying staff member.

#### Finding:

1703.B Based on record review/interview(s): A satisfactory fingerprint based CBC was not obtained for each independent contractor, prior to the person being present at the center or performing services as evidence by: O1 was present singed into the facility at 9:50 AM on November 17, 2016. The Center did not have documentation of the paid, adult staff member not otherwise counted in child to staff ratios who accompanied independent contractor at all times while they were on the center premises. Documentation did not include the departure time and language stating that they were accompanied by the staff member at all times while on the premises and signature of the staff member. Provider stated that there were 3 staff with O1 during her visit; however, staff failed to document that O1 was accompanied.

### 1901-H.&I.: Equipment

Not Met

1901-H.&I.: All equipment used by children shall be maintained in a clean and safe condition and in good repair. Moveable equipment shall be secured and supported so that it shall not fall or tip over.

#### Finding:

1901-H.&I.: Based on observations: All of the center equipment used by children was not maintained in a clean and safe condition and in good repair. Specialist observed a green turtle sandbox toy that cracked in four places on the bottom. Specialist also observed a red bucket that was cracked in several places around the rim. Provider removed prior to Specialist departure.

### 1901-Q: Staff Personal Belongings

Not Met

1901-Q: The personal belongings of center staff members shall be inaccessible to children.

#### Finding:

1901-Q Based on observations: The personal belongings of center staff members was accessible to children. as Specialist observed a staff purse in classroom 4 on a cabinet where children could reach it as well as a staff member's drink on a cabinet where children could reach it. Provider corrected prior to Specialist departure.